

Jan. 13, 1924.

Dear Mrs. Denison,

I feel ashamed that you will arrive home and find no letter from me to thank you for your Christmas gift. that you will like what I bought, for it was an instrument that we needed for our work. I was a very large sryinge that we wanted for our blood transfusions. We had small ones and didnot like to ask the larger one because the laboratory funds are low and the large one makes is easier to get to blood out without clotting. The work is going beautifully. I think that the three of us working together, Dr. Cunningham, Dr. Doan and I are really getting something of fundamental importance in blood. It makes me a little resties now about teaching and makes me feel as if I should give up the teaching before long and go into research altogether. I want to get Dr. Cunningham settled in a place first and then I think that I shall ask Dr. Flexner to let me wook at the Rockerfeller Institute for a term of years. think that he would take me in. Then a new research student of mine has just got a nice thing on the lymphatics of the reproductive system that I think will be of real use. only thing that makes me hesitate about giving up the research is the enjoyment I get out of my research students.

I didn't follow Mary's example of accessories to the car because a Franklin doesn't need many. I did get a wind shield wiper and chains but that is all. Some day I may get a parking light. My, I do love my car.

I hopw that the tea caome safely. Let me know when you want more or if you want some sent to your sister.

F.S. - E.S.D - 1/13/1920

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I had a hope that Henry and Carla would take in Baltimore on their trip South but I suppose that they had very little time for so long a trip.

How did you find Jean and the children. It was nice to Judge see them and to meet Mr. Cary last summer.

Affectionately and gratefully,

Harren Rhaben.